

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: **ANTIBODIES TO PRO830 POLYPEPTIDES**

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

MS: AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

A non-final Office action was mailed on September 26, 2006 by the USPTO. This response is timely filed within the shortened statutory period set for the response, hence no fees are believed to be due. Consideration of the present amendment is respectfully requested.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page **2** of this paper.